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Snag-hit helicopter crashes; no casualties

Rudraprayag: A snag-hit helicopter being towed for repairs by an MI-17 chopper of the Indian Air Force crashed in the hills near Kedarnath on Saturday. There were no casualties as the helicopter that crashed was unoccupied, Rudraprayag's District Tourism Officer Rahul Chaubey said | PTI

COCHIN INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT LIMITED
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The art of affordable luxury

AERO LOUNGE

Inauguration

Sri. PINARAYI VIJAYAN
Hon'ble Chief Minister of Kerala
Chairman, CIAL

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CIAL Terminal 2
Sunday, 01/09/2024 | 4 PM

41 Guest rooms, Boardrooms, and a Lounge within the Airport but outside Security Hold Area; making it accessible to both passengers and visitors.

Redefining Passenger Experience

Cochin International Airport Limited (CIAL) is committed to delivering a world-class experience for all passengers. As part of our ongoing expansion, three of the seven mega-projects inaugurated by the Hon'ble Chief Minister of Kerala on October 2, 2023, are already operational. Now, we proudly launch the fourth: the 0484 AERO LOUNGE. This lounge introduces 'The Art of Affordable Luxury', making premium airport lounge experiences accessible to all passengers at Cochin Airport. With ongoing enhancements like expanding the international terminal, creating additional lounges, developing a vibrant food court, and upgrading restrooms to the highest standards, CIAL sets new benchmarks in airport luxury, convenience, safety, and hygiene. The 0484 AERO LOUNGE is a significant milestone in our commitment to elevating passenger services.

Board of Directors
CIAL

0484 AERO LOUNGE

The Story

On December 10th, 2022, CIAL commissioned the country's most prominent business jet terminal, which already handled 2,000 private jet operations. Adjacent to this is the 0484 Aero Lounge, located at T2. Christened after Ernakulam's STD code, the 0484 Aero Lounge is more than just a lounge outside the Security Hold Area; reflecting the essence of Kerala, the design draws inspiration from the backwaters of Kochi, traditional canoes and houseboats, the region's landscape, art forms, and architecture.

Exceptional Amenities
Spanning 50,000 sq. ft., the facility offers 37 rooms, 4 suites, 3 boardrooms, 2 conference halls, co-working spaces, a gym, a spa, and a library.

Your In-Airport Boardroom
Hold professional meetings in our well-appointed boardrooms and conference halls without leaving the airport.

Luxury @ Hourly Rate
This service offers luxury accommodation within the airport at an affordable hourly rate, making it accessible to all travellers.

Conveniently Located
Situated adjacent to the business jet terminal (T2) and ideally positioned between terminals T1 and T3.

Café Lounge
Enjoy all the comforts of a terminal lounge outside the Security Hold Area, which is available for separate access.

Programme

Welcome Speech : Sri. **S. Suhas** IAS, Managing Director, CIAL | **Introductory Speech** : Sri. **Yusuffali M. A.**, Director, CIAL | **Presidential Address** : Adv. **P. Rajeeve**, Hon'ble Minister of Industry, Law and Coir / Chairman, Sub-Committee, Board of Directors, CIAL | **Inauguration** : Sri. **Pinarayi Vijayan**, Hon'ble Chief Minister of Kerala / Chairman, CIAL | **Guests of Honour**: Adv. **K. Rajan**, Hon'ble Minister of Revenue and Housing / Director, CIAL Sri. **V. D. Satheesan**, Hon'ble Leader of Opposition | **In the presence of** : Sri. **Anwar Sadath**, MLA, Aluva | Sri. **Roji M. John**, MLA, Angamaly | Sri. **Benny Behanan**, MP, Chalakudy Sri. **Hibi Eden**, MP, Ernakulam (President, Cochin International Airport Staff Association-INTUC) | Adv. **Jebi Mather**, MP, Rajya Sabha | Sri. **C. N. Mohanan**, President, Cochin International Airport Staff Federation-CITU Sri. **E. K. Bharat Bhushan**, Director, CIAL | Smt. **Aruna Sundararajan**, Director, CIAL | Sri. **N. V. George**, Director, CIAL | Sri. **E. M. Babu**, Director, CIAL | Dr. **P. Mohamed Ali**, Director, CIAL
Vote of Thanks : Sri. **Saji K. George**, Executive Director & Company Secretary, CIAL